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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Kurt E. Petersen, et al.

Application No.: 09/801,077

Filed: March 6, 2001

For: CARTRIDGE FOR ANALYZING A
FLUID SAMPLE

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No.: 7386

Examiner: BEISNER, WILLIAM H

Art Unit: 1744

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 20, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4.